

Affidavit of Publication

STATE OF UTAH. }
County of Salt Lake } ss.

BEFORE THE BOARD OF OIL, GAS AND MINING
DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES

STATE OF UTAH
ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE
NO. ACT/045/013

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF THE NOTICE
OF INTENT AND RECLAMATION PLAN SUBMITTED BY
GETTY MINERAL RESOURCES COMPANY, TOOELE
COUNTY, UTAH.

THE STATE OF UTAH TO ALL OPERATORS, TAKERS
OF PRODUCTION, MINERAL AND ROYALTY OWNERS,
AND PARTICULARLY ALL PERSONS INTERESTED IN
SECTIONS 5, 6, 7, and 8, TOWNSHIP 6 SOUTH, RANGE 3
WEST, SLBM, TOOELE COUNTY, UTAH.

Notice is hereby given that tentative approval was given
by the Utah Division of Oil, Gas and Mining on May 1, 1981 to
Getty Mineral Resources Company to commence surface min-
ing and milling of gold ore in Section 5, 6, 7, and 8, Township 6
South, Range 3 West, Tooele County, Utah. The name of the
mine is the Mercur Canyon Project, and the person represent-
ing the company in this matter is Mr. Robert Hautala, Vice
President, P.O. Box 15668, 345 Bearcat Drive, Salt Lake City,
Utah, 84115.

Getty Mineral Resources Company has fulfilled obliga-
tions under the Utah Mined Land Reclamation Act of 1975
(Section 40-8, U.C.A., 1953, as amended), and will employ the
following mining and reclamation techniques on approximate-
ly 272 acres of fee owned lands:

During Operation:

1. Mining will be conducted in an orderly and minerlike fashion.
2. The open pit mining operation will remove overburden and process mineral ore during the economic life of the mine.
3. Topsoil will be stockpiled for reclamation use and seeded for protection during mine operation.
4. The ore will be crushed, ground and subject to a cyanidation process to separate the gold from the ore on site.
5. Mine waste rock and low grade ore will be stored and tailings from the mill will be placed in a pond to the north of the permit area.
6. Water for the process will be reclaimed from this tailings pond and also taken from an offsite well.
7. Power requirements are estimated to be less than ten megawatts.

Following Operation:

1. Previously stockpiled soils will be regraded over disturbed areas.
2. The open pit will be left as mined except for the top bench level which will be left at the angle of repose for shorrock. A safety berm around the perimeter will be provided for safety.
3. Abandoned mining facilities from previous operations will not be reclaimed unless further disturbed.
4. Revegetation will take place on all areas disturbed except the pit, sediment pond, and some cut walls.
5. All mine and mill facilities will be dismantled and removed along with debris.
6. Existing country roads will be turned over for continuing use while all other roads will be ripped and seeded.
7. The tailings dam will be left in place but modified for through drainage. The sediment pond will be left in place for livestock and wildlife use.
8. All efforts will be made to minimize wind and water erosion and stabilize the mine site. Further future mineral development will not be precluded by Getty Mineral Resources Company's use of the land.

Reclamation performance surety will be established prior to issuing final approval of the mining and reclamation plan.
Any person or agency aggrieved by this tentative decision is hereby requested to submit written protest within 30 days of May 14, 1981, to the Division of Oil, Gas and Mining, 1588 West North Temple, Salt Lake City, Utah, 84116, setting forth factual reasons for his or her complaint, and thereafter, at a time and place heretofore established, appear before the Board of Oil, Gas and Mining to show cause, if any there be, why this plan should not be approved.

DATED this 7th day of May, 1981.

STATE OF UTAH
BOARD OF OIL, GAS AND MINING
PAULA FRANK
Secretary of the Board

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Shana D. Conaty

Being first duly sworn, deposes and says that he is legal advertising clerk of THE SALT LAKE TRIBUNE, a daily newspaper printed in the English language with general circulation in Utah, and published in Salt Lake City, Salt Lake County in the State of Utah, and of the DESERET NEWS a daily (except Sunday) newspaper printed in the English language with general circulation in Utah, and published in Salt Lake City, Salt Lake County, in the State of Utah.

That the legal notice of which a copy is attached hereto

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Mineral Resources Co.)

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Shana D. Conaty
Legal Advertising Clerk

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Notary Public

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